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In re application of : **Confirmation No. 7098**  
Keiichi MURAKAMI : Attorney Docket No. 2005\_0874A  
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METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING  
A PRINTED WIRING BOARD

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement of December 19, 2007, Applicant hereby elects the invention of Group I, claims 1, 3-8 and 20, without traverse, for further prosecution. In view of this election, a full examination on the merits of the present application is respectfully requested.

If there are any issues that the Examiner feels may best be resolved through a personal or telephone interview, the Examiner is kindly requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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